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FLYER OFF THE LINE

SUPPORT OF CANAL TREATY.

Senators Will Rally for Further Debate.

House Has to do With the Diplomatic Bill.

Root Congratulates Wright. Gen. Reyes Still Tarries.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Senate this week will continue to discuss the Panama question. Speeches will be made Monday and Tuesday by Senator Fairbanks, Republican, of Indiana, and Senator Clark, Democrat, of Kansas, and Clay, Democrat, of Georgia, all in support of the treaty. There will be other speeches, but a temporary cessation may be expected later in the week, as there is a disposition on the part of many Democratic members to postpone further discussion of the question until responses to the resolutions of inquiry shall be received from the Executive. The Democrats, however, have given assurance to the Republican leaders that they will not seek delay in the Senate of postponing a vote on the treaty, which they will permit as soon as legitimate debate shall be resumed.

The present plan is to continue the session in open session, but if it becomes apparent that more can be accomplished by closing the doors, an adjournment will be ordered. It now remains the solid vote of the Republican side of the chamber in favor of the treaty will be augmented by some Democratic votes. The suggestion was made in the Democratic caucus Saturday that the Democratic vote should be held in case assurance is given of adjournment to Colombia, but it was not acted upon.

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veering question. The province of California for generations past has been notorious for the lawless bandits who preyed upon its people. The terrain of the province has much to do with the difficulty of eradicating the pest. Its numerous jungles and ravines make it difficult for troops to move quickly from one point to another. A good many of the lawless have been captured and recently the disposition of the people to aid in their capture has evidenced marked improvement.

REYES STILL TARRIES.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Gen. Rafael Reyes, the Colombian envoy who came here in the interest of the reintegration of Panama, in a letter from New York to Dr. Thomas Herran, the Colombian chargé d'affaires, announces that he had decided to postpone his departure for Colombia, but gave no reason for his action, nor any indication as to when he expected to leave for home.

KNOWS NOTHING OF WAR.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The report of the royal commission known as the Lord Esher Commission, which was appointed last November for the purpose of advising the government concerning the creation of a board for the administrative business of the War Office, has been issued, and it confirms the change fore-shadowed by the Associated Press November 28, namely, that the post of Commander-in-Chief of the army will be abolished.

TORN HOLE IN SIDE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

Wilson Steamship "Colorado" Collided With the Outward-bound Bristol City Liner Boston City. NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The Wilson steamship "Colorado," Capt. Cox, from Hull, while proceeding up the river bay today, and while rounding the southwest spit, came in collision with the outward-bound Bristol City liner Boston City, Capt. Carey, from New York for Bristol and Swansea. A large hole was torn in the port side forward and the Boston City's bridge was smashed. She began to fill rapidly, and was run into shallow water to prevent her from sinking. The weather was foggy.

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ENGLAND'S WAR BOARD.

Takes the Place of the Commander-in-Chief.

Recommendation of the Lord Esher Commission.

Improved Defense Committee—New Men Desirable.

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With the approval of the King and acting upon the recommendations of the committee, the government has decided to appoint an array command, framed upon the admiralty model; to abolish the office of Commander-in-Chief of the Army and to create a new post, that of Inspector-General, whose principal duty will be to inspect and report on the efficiency of the military forces.

The report is divided into three sections, the first of which relates to the defense committee; the second, to the army council, and the third to inspection. It points out the necessity of greater permanency in the defense committee, in order to ensure a continuous policy, and it suggests the addition to the existing defense committee of a permanent secretary, holding office for five years; two naval officers selected by the admiralty; two military officials chosen by the Viceroy of India, and, if possible, other colonial representatives, holding office for two years.

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decentralization, the individual members of the council being entrusted with different branches, such as armament, supply, finance, etc. In this connection, the report remarks significantly: "New measures demand new men; we therefore attach special importance to the appointment of military members, not too closely connected with existing methods, and who therefore are not likely to be embarrassed by the traditions of a system which is to be radically changed."

The commission considers the abolition of the post of Commander-in-Chief to be imperative, and it urges the divorce of the administrative from the executive department. The Inspector-General is to be appointed for five years. His sole functions, aided by a staff, is to report upon actual facts, without expressing opinions on policy.

The Lord Esher Commission reported with unusual promptitude. Sir George Sydenham Clark, Governor of Victoria, one of the members of the commission, arrived in England December 30, while the report is dated January 15. It is understood that all the necessary changes will be carried out with the least possible delay after obtaining the sanction of the House of Commons, where it is necessary. The report is most practical and business-like. It says it is "unnecessary to make a complete breach with the past and to discard the existing machinery, but the possible derangement of the existing machinery, the immediate advantages which a general staff conferred upon Germany."

PRESS APPROVES REPORT.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The morning papers editorially applaud the report of the Lord Esher Commission as thorough and practical, and express the hope that the government will execute the reforms with courage and promptitude.

CATHOLIC ADVISORY BOARD.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

DETROIT (Mich.) Jan. 31.—About two thousand persons were present in the Light Guard Armory today, at a mass meeting that marked the close of the semi-annual meeting of the Advisory Board and Executive Board of the American Federation of Catholic Societies. Speaking of the aims of the Federation, Mr. J. J. Connelley, of Detroit, N. J., said it would accomplish much in the direction of doing away with two great deficiencies of the Catholic Church, namely, the lack of organization and the lack of an organ to disseminate such an opinion if it existed.

RIO'S SEEMS VINDICATION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

MADRID, Jan. 31.—As a result of the press and parliamentary aspersions cast upon him for the part played in the peace negotiations in Paris between the United States and Spain, Senator Montoro Rio has demanded that the government submit to the Senate all the correspondence and the documents connected with these negotiations. The fulfillment of his demand will probably give rise to heated debate.

NEW CATHOLIC BANK.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 31.—Archbishop Alzamora has formally blessed the premises of the new Catholic Bank, which starts business with a capital of \$5,000,000.

To Visit San Francisco.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

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ONE BRUISER
AGAINST TWO.

Three Arizona Prospectors
Fight for an Hour.

Smith Causes Wilbur's End
and Lays Out Lang.

Native Sons' Election Cam-
paign—Hold-up at Gazelle.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
KINGMAN (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—One of the most sanguinary life-and-death struggles in the history of this county took place last evening at a place known as Meyers's Well, 35 miles west of here, between Thomas W. Smith and two men known as Lang and Wilbur, in which Wilbur received injuries resulting in his death this morning and Lang was seriously injured.

The three men had entered into a prospecting agreement, and Smith came to town and took a large supply of provisions to the camp selected by them. After depositing the supplies, the men went to Smith's camp to assist in bringing his outfit to the new camp. On the way they apparently drank liquor freely, and were soon involved in a quarrel. The men were in a fighting mood, and the two attacked Smith. A rough-and-tumble fight followed. From 6 o'clock until 7 o'clock last night the men fought with hands and rocks, with but slight intermission, and the ground over which the battle raged is covered with blood. Smith was badly battered up. The other two men were so overcome that they were unable to continue the fight, and early this morning Wilbur died from his injuries. The testimony of the fight, but made no effort to separate the combatants.

Smith came to Kingman this afternoon and gave himself up to the Sheriff, and is now in the County Jail. The Sheriff and Coroner have gone to the scene of the killing.

NATIVE SONS' SCRAP FOR GRAND SECRETARYSHIP.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—A lively contest is promised at the next session of the Grand Par of the Native Sons, which will meet in April at Vallejo, over the election of a grand secretary, the position was made vacant recently by the retirement of Henry Lunstedt on the discovery of a shortage in his accounts. Among the aspirants are A. D. O. Jones of this city, Fred Jones of Stanford Park, George H. B. Dryden of Binson Park and Charles H. Turner, who is temporarily filling the office.

SEVEN SUDDEN DEATHS.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Seven sudden deaths kept the morgue wagon on the go all day today. The victims range in ages from a child who had been bitten by a dog to an old man who had passed through the dangers of life for 80 years, only to meet his end by being accidentally asphyxiated by gas in his home. The five remaining victims, two took their lives, one was suddenly stricken, while on a pleasure drive, a fourth while strolling along the street.

The infant son of Alfred Scurr, which was born Saturday, was suffocated while sleeping in his mother's arms. Michael Langan, 30 years of age, was accidentally asphyxiated. Esther E. Jarrett and Charles Joseph Harrington, both committed suicide by inhaling gas. George Glegg, a fisherman, dropped dead in front of his residence as he was starting for a stroll. Harry Hitchcock, while driving with a friend expired in the baggy. The last body brought to the morgue was headless, and was found floating in the bay, having been in the water for over a month.

HOLD-UP AT GAZELLE.
LODGE MONEY CARRIED OFF.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
GAZELLE, Jan. 31.—Three men were held up at the site of Olds & Gridley in Edgewood and the safe was robbed of \$300, of which \$75 was store money and the rest lodge money belonging to the three men. The three men, Knights of Pythias, Gridley, Jr., was writing in the store with a man named Myers, and the two men wearing overalls entered, and raising revolvers ordered "hands up." Gridley, Jr., coming in, was also taken in charge. After securing the safe deposits, the three passed the cash register unnoticed, marched the three men to the door and ordered them out to a barn. Here their pockets were searched, a watch was taken from one of the Gridleys, but was given back by the younger thief. The robbers then commanded the men to walk a certain distance without turning under penalty of being shot to death. But the three men managed to escape. No clue has been found.

SLOPE BRIEFS.
Elks and Clallam Week.
SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 31.—The committee of the local lodge of Elks which yesterday wired to the authorities at Washington for orders that Dist. Atty. Frye participate and receive witnesses in the Clallam investigation, received an answer today, stating that the local Board of Health inspectors has absolute control of the hearings. Neither the Department of Justice nor the Department of Commerce and Labor has any objection to Frye's participation, if Inspectors Whitney and Turner are willing, but no orders will be issued either to the Inspectors or the District Attorney.

Robbers Help Themselves.
SEATTLE, Jan. 31.—Two well-dressed robbers tried to break into the home of J. B. Goddard's house here this morning and forced Goddard and another man to the quiet while they searched the pockets of their trousers. They secured more than \$500 in cash. Goddard begged them to leave the rest of his money, and they did so. The cash they left behind was \$100.

Dawson City to the Post Intelligenceur says that the town of Grand Forks is being undermined in pursuit of gold. The town stands on what was part of Claim No. 6 above discovery, on Bonanza Creek. Grand Forks has a population of 600. The town has one long street, lined with business houses.

Had Package of Letters.
SAN JOSE, Jan. 31.—Two young men, giving their names as Frank Smith and Charles Green, who were arrested in a box car in the Southern Pacific yards today, had in their possession a package of letters which dropped from a mail car. Mountain View on January 23. The letters have been opened, and a draft and check are missing.

Gov. Pardons Out.
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—Gov. Pardee who has been confined to his home for more than two weeks by a severe cold and bronchitis, was able to drive out today, and soon will be at his office, probably tomorrow.

Ditch Tender Found Dead.
GRASS VALLEY, Jan. 31.—Word reached here tonight that Joseph W. Hams, ditch tender of the Excelsior Ditch Company, was found dead. The cause of death was suspicious, and an investigation will follow.

Cody's Daughter Dead.
SPOKANE, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Charles W. Thorpe died here tonight, succumbing to the effects of an operation performed a week ago. She was a daughter of Col. W. F. Cody, and was married to Dr. Charles Thorpe at Denver on January 1.

Italian Cruiser Sails.
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The Italian fifth-class cruiser, Puglia, arrived today from Annapolis. After a brief stay in port the Puglia will sail for the Orient.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS
FROM THE WORLD.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two Americans were killed upon and ill-treated by a mob in Lancashire today. There is high-tension excitement over American gambling in cotton. The execution of a contract is refused business when cotton looks rising like a balloon. A large section of the industrial population of Lancashire is unemployed, and almost as angry as when Henry Ward Beecher was mobbed, early in the Civil War.

IN POCAHONTAS'S MEMORY.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A pulpit made of wood brought from the forests of Virginia is soon to be placed in St. George's Church at Gravesend, in commemoration of Princess Pocahontas, who is buried in the chancel.

COUNT OF TURIN ENGAGED.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
MONTRE CARLO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Count of Turin announces his engagement to Princess Louise d'Orleans.

SUSPICIONS OF TAMMANY.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The friends of Judge Parker are insisting that Tammany come out in the open. The organization was believed at one time to favor Parker for the Presidency, but recently they claim it has been flirting with Bryan.

KAISER BUYS GALTEE MORE.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Count Lendorff has just paid \$65,000 for Galtee More, the well-known English horse, for the German Imperial stud.

CORBETT REACHES FOR FITZ.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James J. Corbett says that he is ready and willing to fight Bob Fitzsimmons again. He says that he has decided to retire from the ring forever, but since Fitzsimmons is continually abusing him and asserting that he is afraid to meet him, he has changed his decision. Corbett has a fine theatrical engagement, but is willing to cancel it, if a purse of value is offered.

DEATH OF JOJO.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
VIENNA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jojo, the original dog-faced

STRING TO "RELEASE" OF MRS. MAYBRICK.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Mrs. Florence Maybrick, who is serving a life sentence for the murder of her husband, has not been released but was removed from Aylesbury Prison January 25, presumably to a private institution, for the purpose of recuperation. She is still undergoing sentence under guard, and though apparently not an inmate of any prison, she still remains as much a prisoner in the eye of the law as when she was at Aylesbury.

On the authority of the United States Embassy here, the Associated Press is authorized to definitely deny that Mrs. Maybrick has been pardoned.

SUICIDE OF CONTESSA.

Son of Switzerland's President Shoots Himself in the Mouth on Finding Girl Was Not at Home.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
DIJON (France) Jan. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Arnold Contessa, son of the President of Switzerland, committed suicide here last Thursday by shooting.

M. Contessa, who had been living here, recently drove out, Thursday, to pay a visit to a woman of his acquaintance. Upon being informed that she was not in, he reentered his carriage and shot himself in the mouth with a revolver, the bullet penetrating his brain. He was taken to a hospital, where he died at midnight.

PLUNGER GILLET SETTLES.
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31.—Grant Gillett, the former Kansas cattle plunger, who fled to Mexico three years ago, has made a definite move to settle with his creditors, whom he owes an aggregate sum estimated at \$1,500,000. Local creditors have received a draft from Gillett for a sum sufficient to pay the expenses of a committee to go to Mexico and inspect the ex-Kansas's mining holdings from the development of which, he hopes to pay his debts. The committee will start for Mexico about February 15. A month ago, Gillett, who had returned to the United States to visit relatives, offered from Fosterio, O., to meet his creditors in Kansas City, but failed to appear on the date set.

SEGREGATION OF SEXES.
CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—According to a report submitted by Dean George E. Vincent to President Harper of the University of Chicago, the experiment of segregating the sexes in the junior college work during the past year has been a success.

STEEL TRUST LOSING CORRY.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The resignation of William Ellis Corry, president of the United States Steel Corporation is expected at any moment by those familiar with the internal machinery of the big trust. In this instance, H. C. Fitch, who, John D. Rockefeller, is believed to have secured control of the Steel Trust, will merely be carrying out the dispossession methods in vogue when he was the right-hand man of Andrew Carnegie in the steel industry.

MAYBRICK GOLD BRICK?
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World's correspondent's inquiries today lead to the belief that Mrs. Maybrick sailed for New York last Wednesday on the steamship Oceanic, accompanied by her mother, both traveling under assumed names. Several of the Monday-morning papers throw doubt on the statement that Mrs. Maybrick has been released, saying that while it is undoubted that she has left Aylesbury prison, she merely has been removed to a prison home where long-sentence prisoners are kept for a time before they are liberated. The Daily Mail, on the other hand, corroborates the release story, and says Mrs. Maybrick went to Liverpool.

RUSSIA'S DAYS OF GRACE.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The transmission of Russia's reply to Tokyo is still delayed, and it may not be sent for days. It is a reason to believe that an extension of time will enable Russia to make her reply more satisfactory as regards Manchuria. The Japanese legation here has received no news of the situation.

DISHONORED THE FLAG.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
HAYANA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A private report from Cienfuegos states that the American flag at the consulate there was covered with filth last night. The outrage is supposed to have been due to an adverse report on the political situation there made by Minister Squiers and based on information furnished by Consul Baehr. Steinhart, the American consul-general here, knows nothing of the matter.

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Menelik Visits Camp of Consul-General Skinner.

Large Field for Activity in
Mineral Possibilities.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
MARSEILLES (France) Jan. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The following details of the government mission to King Menelik of Abyssinia, which was led by the United States Consul-General Robert P. Skinner, have been obtained.

Skinner's party arrived here yesterday on board the steamer Victoria. The American marines and blue-jackets who accompanied the expedition were left at Aden, and went on to join the American gunboat Machias. Consul Skinner and the other members of the party are in good health and they speak enthusiastically of the reception accorded them by King Menelik. On the way to the coast, the party saw one elephant and heard a number of lions, but experienced no exciting adventure. In the course of an interview, Mr. Skinner said: "President Roosevelt selected a most opportune time for establishing relations with Ethiopia, as Americans heretofore have been too indifferent to the remarkable development which is now going on in Abyssinia. Our cotton goods pass through many hands before being sold at high prices in Abyssinia, but now Americans have an opportunity to conduct their own trade. King Menelik will send some of the products of his country to the St. Louis Exposition, as well as a commission composed of able men to show the Americans commercial opportunities in Abyssinia. The King is a broad-minded statesman, who will welcome Americans."

During the visit of the Skinner party at the capital, King Menelik received them, surrounded by an imposing assemblage of 2000 functionaries. The escort of American marines established a camp called "Camp Roosevelt," which attracted a great deal of interest. The King made a personal inspection of the camp, which lasted for three hours, and after having witnessed the maneuvers of the marines asked one of the men for his gun and loaded and fired it. This act on the part of the King pleased the visitors greatly. The Americans were impressed with the assimilative ability of the Abyssinians, Consul Skinner saying that this country is being rapidly modernized, and that new roads, bridges, water supplies, telephones and telegraph lines are being constructed. He considers the Abyssinians the "Japanese" of Africa. He said that he was having a serious and banking systems are defective and unsatisfactory. The money is on a silver basis. Consul-General Skinner believes that Americans will find a large field for activity in the gold, coal, petroleum and asphalt possibilities of Abyssinia.

An official report of the result of the mission has been forwarded to Washington. The confidential adviser of King Menelik, will return to Abyssinia tomorrow. In an interview he said Abyssinia would continue to do her utmost to favor French interests, and that she was having a serious struggle against foreign influences. He said also that King Menelik intended to prove his good feeling for France by visiting that country during the present year.

MENELIK FEARS TO LEAVE.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)
ROME, Jan. 31.—According to news received by the Foreign Office here, King Menelik is not likely to leave Abyssinia because of the political situation there. There is already a candidate for succession to the throne, and he fears that a serious struggle would be a signal for civil warfare among the different chiefs. It is therefore considered impossible for the King to visit the St. Louis exposition.

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Parisian Dramatist Writes a One-act Play That is Half in English and Half in French—American Venture in London.

STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.
LONDON, Jan. 31.—Owen Hall, who supplied the "books" of "Florinda," "The Geisha," and "The Girl From Kyr," is hard at work on a new musical comedy for which he has an idea that is almost Gilbertian in its novelty. The piece, which probably will be called "Sergeant Brute," has been commissioned by Frank Curzon. It will be given at the Comedy, and, as Hall generally hits the hall's eye, is fairly certain to be played at home later on. "Sergeant Brute" is a humble member of the London police force, who suddenly is bequeathed an income of \$50,000 a year on condition, however, that he does not dress in blue uniform until he has attained the rank of inspector. Brute accepts the condition. He has a son and daughter, both of whom cherish lofty social ambitions, and to help these along, the policeman-plutocrat acquires a magnificent home in fashionable London. Brute's position, however, soon becomes exasperating. A mass of decidedly limited intellect, the practical impossibility of his ever becoming an inspector is speedily manifest, and so the unfortunate Brute has to go on spending half his time in the midst of luxury and the other half—or most of it—on his beat as an undistinguished "bobby." Meanwhile, Brute's son and daughter get to holding fierce gambling parties at the Park Lane mansion which he has inherited. Brute's position, however, soon becomes exasperating. A mass of decidedly limited intellect, the practical impossibility of his ever becoming an inspector is speedily manifest, and so the unfortunate Brute has to go on spending half his time in the midst of luxury and the other half—or most of it—on his beat as an undistinguished "bobby." Meanwhile, Brute's son and daughter get to holding fierce gambling parties at the Park Lane mansion which he has inherited. Brute's position, however, soon becomes exasperating. A mass of decidedly limited intellect, the practical impossibility of his ever becoming an inspector is speedily manifest, and so the unfortunate Brute has to go on spending half his time in the midst of luxury and the other half—or most of it—on his beat as an undistinguished "bobby." Meanwhile, Brute's son and daughter get to holding fierce gambling parties at the Park Lane mansion which he has inherited.

Quite as ingenious in its way is the device by which a Parisian dramatist, whose name cannot be divulged yet, has contrived to write a play about the personalities of both Lewis Waller, the English actor, who is now appearing in "Monsieur Beaucaire," and Mme. Rejane, the French actress. The two prominent stage folk—each of whom has rather more than a smattering of the other's language—are great friends. They have wanted for some time to appear together, but it was only recently that they were able to do so. The play is a piece of the usual half-English and half-French. Midway in the action, the British hero of his play suddenly changes to French. The heroine of it is a Frenchwoman, whereupon he insists that they converse hereafter in her native tongue. It should be explained that the piece is in one act only.

Theodore Kremer's melodrama, "The Fatal Wedding," enjoyed so much favor in this country that Bert Coote probably is well advised in bringing over "An Actor's Romance" by the same author. This piece will be seen at the Camden, a prominent suburban playhouse, on February 1. Another coming American venture in London is that of Miss Edith Helena, the vocalist with the "Top note," who will be seen at the Empire.

Not many moons will have waned and waned before Americans who enjoyed the "Crane Girl" will have a chance of passing upon its coming successor, "Beautiful Coyote." This piece, which is also by Lionel Moncton and James Tanner, is now in active rehearsal at Daly's and will be seen here early in February.

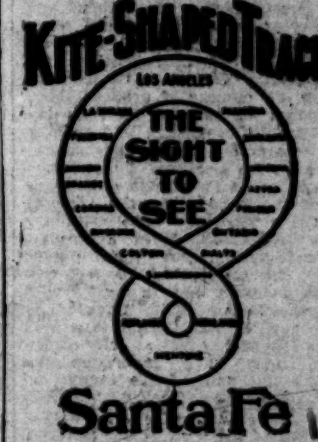
DAN MAHANY'S SUICIDE.
SPRINGFIELD (Mass.) Jan. 31.—Daniel Mahany of this city, a famous baseball catcher, committed suicide at his home tonight by drinking carbolic acid. He had not been working for some time, and had threatened to take his life unless his affairs became brighter. He played on many teams during his life, including the Washingtons and Cincinnati.

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AT THE CITY'S GATES

EAST LOS ANGELES.

SOME months ago the East Side Police Station was discontinued, and the officers were transferred to the main station. Since that time it is claimed there have been many occasions where the East Side station would have been useful, and that it is a movement on among residents here to petition for the reopening of the station. The police department, however, has been at work at the Canali lumber yard, right beside the old Police Station.

N. L. Bacon has sold his business place opposite the Stetson cannery and is building a house for a coffee club at No. 257 North Avenue 24. Work has been begun on the \$15,000 brick block for W. F. Baird, at the corner of Downey avenue and Johnson street.

Good progress is being made on the new building for the Federal Bank, on Downey avenue, near Avenue 24. The side walls are about completed. The new crushing plant of the Los Angeles glass plant is being used for the crushing of silica or sand, to be used in making glassware. The plant will be thirty-five tons per day. Within two months the glass works will have been completely re-opened and will then be placed in operation.

The East Side cannery has closed its season's work and the proprietor, E. A. Taylor, will leave in a few days for a visit to friends in Boston. Mr. Taylor has sold his interest in the Los Angeles Planting Mill to F. J. McDonald and J. A. Murphy.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Women's Guild of Epiphany Church was held Wednesday, January 27. Reports from all the chapters showed active work. The women of the guild will give an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. A. C. Dalkin, No. 243 North Griffin avenue, on Thursday from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. At the services yesterday, the pastor, Rev. J. H. Walker, preached, "The Vineyard," and at night, "The Valley in Our Lives."

Rev. Chester P. Dorland, who served as pastor of the East Side Congregational Church for several years, is the prospective pastor of the new Congregational Church being organized at Long Beach.

The first meeting of the Men's Patriotic Club will take place tomorrow night at the assembly hall of the East Side Congregational Church. There will be a debate on the question, "Resolved, that labor unions, as at present constituted, are a detriment to the ingenuity." The club will have weekly sessions, and will discuss some current topic at each meeting.

Samuel Arthur is having a five-room cottage erected for his own home at No. 231 South Eastlake avenue.

VERNON.
A business settlement is springing up around the south end of Central avenue, and several business men there are discussing the propriety of having this district known as Vernon.

C. M. Graves has begun the excavations for a large brick business block at the northwest corner of Central avenue and East Fifth street. The block will be a two-story structure, with stores below and flats above.

The Vernon Improvement Association has elected new officers as follows: President, Prof. W. C. Bowman; vice-president, Isaac Smith; treasurer, Dr. Wood. The association met last Friday evening and was addressed by Col. Melvin Smith, president of the Federation of Improvement Associations.

M. A. Davis' packing-house, out at the Santa Fe house, has been cleaned and sent to the St. Louis Exposition. They are said to be the finest nuts ever raised in Southern California.

The home of E. E. Lewis, No. 102 East Thirty-ninth street, was the scene of a lively gathering of relatives and friends, last Wednesday evening, to celebrate Mr. Lewis' birthday anniversary.

The Vernon packing houses are still shipping out cauliflower by the carload, and as to quality, is fair, considering the dry season. The M. A. Davis' house sent out about eighty cars this season.

Members of St. Luke's Episcopal parish are considering plans for the building of a guild hall at the rear of St. Luke's Church, with a frontage on East Forty-sixth street. Several hundred dollars have been raised for the new enterprise.

The work of improving East Vernon avenue, from Central avenue to Alameda street will begin in earnest this week. Much of the cement and sand for the sidewalks and curbs is on hand. On the western part of this street, several main sections have been done by private contract.

Three members were initiated and four applications were received at the last meeting of Vernon Camp, Modern Woodmen.

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Yesterday the regulars were all on hand, as was expected. So were the pompano, and the result was another spectacular field day. The regulars were all on hand, as was expected. So were the pompano, and the result was another spectacular field day.

Since the appearance of the pompano many amusing conflicts have taken place in the bay between the seiners and the rod and line fishermen. A number of these have been fishing for the market with grab hooks, and the other day a party of Dagos came along with a dory and a seine which they tried to use in the same way as the boats containing the grab hooks.

CLEAR NOTE OF WARNING.

Ray Stannard Baker Discusses San Francisco Case.

New Conditions Which Menace National Prosperity.

Strong Exposure of Methods of Labor Unionism.

Ray Stannard Baker, whose articles in McClure's Magazine on the labor situation in several American cities have been interesting features of the current issue to San Francisco. He presents a lucid, concise and extremely interesting exposure of labor conditions in the California metropolis, conditions pregnant with meaning for the people of America. No other city in the country so splendidly exemplifies the character of the methods of labor unionism, the extremes to which it will go to accomplish its ends, and the vast power it can acquire. This is said with due regard to conditions in Chicago, known as the "hotbed of unionism," and in New York the kind of San Francisco and others of his kind. San Francisco presents an entirely new and unique phase of the labor problem—one of the most serious and stronger one than has yet been sounded from any other city in the United States.

The importance of Mr. Baker's article is emphasized by the obvious effort of the writer to be entirely fair and just, in which effort he is successful.

He gives to both employer and employee full measure of credit for whatever good has been accomplished by either, and he is equally ready to give his share in bringing about the present deplorable conditions in the city on the part of the labor union. He is not a labor leader, but a fair-minded citizen.

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cal boss after two or three preliminary trials of his mettle, when he was lifted from a violinist's seat in a theatrical orchestra and placed at the head of the administration of a great city, how his administration has been mediocre and inconsequential, and how pitifully and inevitably enough, he has never led any one nor organized anything.

He shows how that, from political influence, it is only a step to legislative "pull" and that the labor council last winter maintained a paid lobby in the Legislature, secured a constitutional amendment and provision in the City Charter limiting the employment of all public service workmen to eight hours, and in the city fixing a minimum wage of \$2, and secured other important legislation.

Unions are also, through the process of withdrawal, developing materially the military force which might be brought against them in time of trouble, in San Francisco, most of the companies having been reduced to one-half strength.

THE "OWL" BOYCOTT.

Mr. Baker is particularly impressed by the methods employed by unionism in its effort to defeat the Owl Drug Company in the magnificent fight it is making against unionism's despotism and domination. The illustrations in these columns are taken from those in McClure's Magazine, showing to what extremes the unions are going in their warfare against the owl-drug store, warning was delivered with the morning milk, one of them pasted on each bottle.

Treating of how unionism tightens its monopolistic grip, Mr. Baker says in part:

"I do not believe it would be possible to find a non-union man in any one of the sixty-two building trades."

In some of the callings, like that of the retail clerk, which are difficult of organization, gaps still exist, and the evidence of the activity of the unions in forcing those who are not to join or to get off the earth—as the labor leader puts it—are, to the stranger, among the most striking features of life in San Francisco. . . . I saw two men, each wearing a union badge, pacing up and down the sidewalk in front of a cafe and shouting: "Unfair, unfair; this is a scab house; go down to the 'Owl' drug store."

"Every person who entered was thus accosted: the union had set about ruining the owner's business or forcing him to employ only union men."

A little farther up the street I saw a sandwich-man walking industriously back and forth in front of the Owl Drug Store, bearing this sign on his letters:

"Boycott the Owl; the enemy of the wage-earner. Don't take chances on scab drugs."

"Within the space of a block there were three scab boycott men, threatening the business of three different firms. . . . Up and down these streets, in various parts of the city, often two shifts a day, week after week."

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after week. These men have been repeatedly arrested, but the magistrates have consistently favored unionism, and they go back to the work of injuring the business firms that employ other than union men. A sharp lookout is kept, and if any union man is caught entering a boycotted store he is fined anywhere from \$5 to \$10. But this is by no means the extent of the fight upon the Owl. . . . Once, two ladies, standing in the doorway, were drenched with a bag of filth, and the managers and their families have been called up on the telephone and grossly insulted.

"This boycotting is done in the most systematic manner, the sandwich-men are volunteer agents of the union. It is as amusing as it is significant that the union men to-day are in the habit of going to the employer's place, even when that employer is a union man. The sandwich-men are actually paid to strike to get a fair wage, now they are paid \$2.50 a day for eight hours' work."

"Numerous other examples might be given of this methodical effort to drive all labor competition out of San Francisco. Every door in the city is plastered with stickers warning the labor papers to advertise the 'unfair' hours extensively; the housewife morning covered with milk bottles in the Owl drug store; he hires scab labor."

In a few cases, like that of the Owl Drug Store, the boycott worked in exactly the opposite direction, driving the customer class who oppose unions and increasing the company's business. One dealer in shirt buttons built a great success upon union opposition.

UNIONISM'S METHODS.

Mr. Baker cites some very interesting examples of the methods employed by unionism in San Francisco. They are also instructive, and make one of the strongest clonings in the war against the article in that the

point out the dangers to the very life of the republic inherent in "union domination." They show how unionism strikes at the very vitals of the national life, and how his wake is filled with disorder and anarchy, robbery of the public purse, disregard of law and order and the crushing of that independence which is the foundation stone of this great country's existence. The following excerpts from Mr. Baker's admirable article are indicative of unionism's methods of procedure.

"Let me tell you the experience of R. T. Tachau, the prominent restaurant keeper of San Francisco. Tachau was boycotted because he hired non-union musicians. When weary of the struggle, he finally tried to make a settlement, the Musicians' Union demanded that he discharge the leader of his orchestra, absolutely this leader had been a faithful worker, and Tachau refused to discharge him. The boycott continued, and finally became so annoying that Tachau sold out. His orchestra was immediately thrown out of employment, and the players had to make the best peace they could with the union. One of the members with whom I talked was fined \$150 for rehearsing with a non-union orchestra, and \$25 initiation fee into the union. He was also ordered not to play in the Tachau Tavern for one year. He paid his fine and agreed to all the union demands, he is now a 'good' union man. The leader was also fined \$100 and ordered not to work for a year. Since then he has not been able to get any work at all, and his family has had to be assisted by friends."

"Such is the fate of the man who will not go into the union; he is pursued with implacable hatred until he either gets out of town or joins. As a labor leader told me: 'If he don't obey let him look for another city to live in.'"

ENTIRE CLASS CROWDED OUT.

"There have been cases in which unions have ruthlessly forced an entire class of workmen out of employment. The Stone Cutters' Union, for instance, which both here and in other cities has always fought the 'iron man' that is the union machine, demanded one day that the stonemason employers discharge all their planer men, trained to the handling of machinery, and replace them with stone cutters. These planer men were expert workmen, trained to the handling of machinery, and the stone cutters used their invincible argument—they struck. The employers asked to have the question at issue submitted to arbitration."

"We won't arbitrate," said President Burns of the union, 'we've got the power and we are going to use it.' 'Use it they did. The employers finally proposed discharging their planer men one at a time, substituting stone cutters gradually, so that the new men could learn without crippling the plant and so that all the unfortunate planer men would not be thrown helplessly out of employment. The union refused to accede to this proposition. The planer men then applied for admittance to the union; but the stone cutters refused to admit them, on the ground that they were not expert stone cutters. The employers finally had to surrender unconditionally, discharge a whole class of labor, and put inexperienced men on their machinery with the immediate result of numerous accidents and a lessened output. These were some of the fruits of monopoly."

"It is probable that the organization of industry, the result of a business campaign, was never before carried to such lengths as this. The planer men, the bowling alleys have a close organization; the grave diggers won a strike last year in the course of which burials were actually prevented by the filling of non-union graves with water and the blowing up of the crematory; there are also unions of actors, newspaper writers, gun boys, elevator boys, soap and candle makers, workers, carpet layers, shade hangers, piano movers, pie-wagon drivers. Why was it that the Mill Owners' fish cleaners made a demand for more pay and got it. In New York there were only thirty-nine men in the central body of the building trades in San Francisco there are sixty-two."

EVOLUTION OF THE "BOSS."

"And these unions are gathered into two powerful central councils. The first, including the miscellaneous trades, are united in a central body called the Labor Council; the second, including the building trades, are united in the Building Trades Council. Both of these councils are made up of representatives of the various trades, though quite different in their organization. The labor council, aided by men like Furman, McCarthy, and others, is organized on the broad, conservative lines of the American Federation of Labor, with which it is affiliated, and its powers are chiefly advisory. The Building Trades Council is a more centralized body, absolutely dominated by a boss—P. H. McCarthy. Right here appears one of the other marked tendencies of a high degree of unionism: the subversion of a representative body to the domination of a single man."

"McCarthy, however, is a very different sort of boss from Sam Parkow of New York. Parkow based his reign on intimidation, terrorism, and wholesale bribery. McCarthy, on the other hand, has secured, notwithstanding the virulent attacks of all other mills, which had nine and ten-hour days. McCarthy started an opposition mill, made it successful, and then he was compelled to grant all the demands of his employees and the union's mill was at once absorbed into the Typographical Association. Here was a monopoly of the mill-working business, in which the unions appeared on both sides of the agreement, the newspapers so that they dare not print news or comment unfavorably to the cause of unionism, and the union of the fight waged by the Los Angeles Times as follows:

"There could be no better illustration of the tremendous power wielded by the labor monopoly, nor of the advanced business methods employed, than the fight now being waged on the part of the Typographical Union. Gen. Otis, the owner and editor, has not only refused to hire union men exclusively or to treat with the union, but he has vigorously attacked organized labor generally. Indeed, The Times is fighting the union, the only important paper in America not controlled, on its part, by the union monopoly. It is nearly the only other paper in the non-union worker can get a job. The result of Gen. Otis's position has been a boycott on which it is estimated that the Typographical Union has already expended \$50,000. This money is raised by the levy of a trifling tax on each member of the union, America, which provides a steady fund of \$20,000 a year. Three men are kept constantly employed at good salaries to direct the fight. Union men everywhere are requested to write to advertisers threatening to withdraw their patronage from The Times, they will be boycotted. Within the last few months the proprietors of the Lydia Pinkham medicines, for instance, have received over one million letters from union men in various parts of the country. Here is a sample of a letter sent by the Memphis Typographical Union to an advertiser of Newark, N. J.:

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AN ATTEMPTED NEWSPAPER BOYCOTT.

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COST OF LABOR MONOPOLY.

Mr. Baker sketches the planing-mill strike of three years ago, when an eight-hour day was demanded and fin-



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FURNITURE
DRAPERIES
EVERYBODY'S STORE

GREAT VOLUME OF BUSINESS MAKES LOW PRICES

BROADWAY, NEAR SIXTH—THAT'S THE PLACE

MORE BUSINESS THAN 10 OTHER STORES AT ONLY 1/4 OF THE EXPENSE

FOLLOW THE CROWD AND YOU GET MAGNIFICENT GOODS FOR LESS MONEY THAN SMALL CONCERNS CAN BUY THEM FOR.

\$25,000 STOCK GIVES GREAT VARIETY

GENEROUS CREDIT OPEN TO EVERYBODY

EASY TO BUY EASY TO PAY

No other store in California ever met with such popular favor as this one. The reason is that expense is reduced to the minimum when such a colossal enterprise is conducted under one roof and one management.

Here is where you have a quarter of a million dollar stock to select from at prices absolutely the lowest, and you can pay at your convenience if you wish.

High-Class Parlor Furniture

AT PRICES THAT ARE INVITINGLY LOW

We have devoted one entire floor of our immense store to the display of new parlor furniture this week. The scope of pattern is comprehensive, every good factory's product being represented and the range of price being just as great up to \$500 a suit.

AN ARTICLE FOR EVERY HOME AND A PRICE FOR EVERY PURSE



THIS THREE-PIECE SUIT
Sofa, arm chair and reception chair; heavy, gracefully designed frame, high mahogany finish, guaranteed upholstery in elegant two-tone green velvet, or green and old rose damask. **\$30.00**

In the Drapery Department

English Bobbinet Bed Set, full size 22-inch valance, trimmed with lace and insertion to match. **\$4.50**
this week.

Gray Wool Blankets, mixed fine long fleece, silk bound, with blue and red mixed borders, this week. **\$3.70**

Tapestry Table Covers, Flemish reversible with Savoy fringe in several harmonious combinations. **\$2.10** of each, this week.

Arabian Curtains, fashionable scroll design, beautifully corded in Renaissance effect, 34 yards long. **\$3.25**
this week only.

Elegance in the Bedroom

Here is another instance of excellent quality for little money. It's so all over the great store. The bed room floor is filled with bargains this week. This three-piece suit, richly grained quarter-sawn oak in golden finish, full wall front dresser and washstand, heavy roller on head and foot of bed, bold yet dainty carving, French plate beveled mirror, shaped pattern, 24x36 inches. A \$60.00 value. **\$30.00**



In the Drapery Department

White Cotton Blankets, 11-4 extra heavy, fancy stitched edges, blue, pink and red borders, this week. **\$2.75**

Bobbinet Bed Sets, 18-inch valance, Battenburg edging and insertion with motif to match in center. **\$5.50**
this week only.

Couch Covers, 60 inches, in bright Oriental "mix", colorings, fringed all around, this week. **\$5.75**

Novelty Turcoman Portières, full length, heavy knotted fringe, in four different combinations, this week. **\$2.90**

Generous Credit is Now Open to Everybody.

Mackie-Fredericks Co.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Wellsbach

21,689,765 genuine Wellsbach mantles sold last season—a substantial proof of public endorsement.

15, 20, 25, 30, 35 cents.

All Dealers.



WELLSBACH CUTLERY

EVERY BLADE WARRANTED

Best Clothing

Alfred Benjamin's latest and best productions. Prices only ordinary.

James Smith & Co., 157 SOUTH SPRING ST.

WOMEN'S GARMENTS.

The really new styles when they are really new.

B. B. HENSHEY

Clothes, Hosiery and Underwear.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Mason Opera-house.

The sale of seats opens this morning at the Mason Opera-house for the coming production of Richard Carvel, now in its third season of prosperity. Crowd at Chutes.

There was another enormous crowd at the Chutes yesterday. Ellery's Band making a big hit again. Such a popularity of high-class music is very gratifying.

Railroad Men's Change.

Dan P. Walsh, until recently traveling freight and passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, and for fifteen years in the employ of that corporation, has resigned to go into the real estate business here.

Passenger Car Derailment.

A broken brake shoe derailed a Pasadena car at Avenue 55 last night at 10 o'clock and delayed travel in both directions for about an hour, as the derailed car swung over onto the south-bound track.

City Chemist.

Dr. Julius Koebig, city chemist, will address the Southern California Academy of Sciences at the regular meeting, Monday evening, February 1, at the W. man's Club House, on the subject of "Food Products and Their Adulterations."

Gasoline Stove Exploded.

The fire department was summoned to the home of M. C. Bines, No. 118 Bernado street, shortly after noon yesterday. A leaking tank on a gasoline stove in the kitchen had caused the gasoline to run down the wall and when an attempt was made to light the stove, it was enveloped in flames.

The stove was thrown into the yard before serious damage had been done to the house.

What is Thought?

Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall spoke yesterday afternoon in Blanchard Hall on "What is Thought?" He treated the subject from the standpoint of material science, explaining the influence of thought on the principle of electro energy traveling in currents of attraction and repulsion that is manifested in other forces. Next Sunday his subject will be "The Power of Emulation: Personal Magnetism."

New Industry Started.

H. J. Mercer, secretary of the Honey Producers' Association, has opened a factory at No. 811 Stevenson avenue for the manufacture of honey-comb foundation. The factory is fitted with three large machines costing \$3000. The first machine takes a continuous stream of melted beeswax in one end and a sheet comes out one-eighth of an inch thick. This sheet is then put through steam rollers and pressed very thin when it goes through the third machine and receives the cell impressions. The foundation when completed is as perfect as the bees themselves can make.

Gash in Throat.

Seated on a box in a small rear room at the Tremont Hotel near the Arcade Depot, John Malina, an old soldier who arrived here only a short time ago from Michigan, was found yesterday morning slowly bleeding to death. He had cut his throat with a small pocket knife and had cut the artery.

He was found by a waiter an hour longer, his attempt to commit suicide would have been successful. As it was, however, he was hurriedly taken to the Receiving Hospital where the flow of blood was stopped and the jagged wound in his neck sewed up. It was the cause of the old man's act.

Is He a Burglar?

Gabriel Valasquez, a Mexican, was seen by Patrolman Daniels at 11:30 o'clock this morning on North Los Angeles street carrying a large bundle. At sight of the officer he dropped his load and started to run but was captured. His bundle consisted of two 25-pound sacks of flour and three fine blankets from which the sale tags had not been removed. The prisoner says he purchased the goods at Monrovia, that he arrived in Los Angeles at 11:30 o'clock, and that he lived on Buena Vista street near Alpine. He could not explain why he took him four hours to get home with his purchases or why he was half a mile from home with the goods at so early an hour in the morning. He was locked up and the matter will be investigated. The police believe the goods were stolen.

Happy Landlord.

The general impression which was current among the hotel men a few weeks ago that there was to be a falling-off in the tourist business this year is entirely groundless. Gen. Westworth, manager of the Raymond, yesterday, I am free to admit that it looked that way for a time but now our books show that we will be turning people away by the 10th of this month. They are all coming in a bunch, and I believe that February and March will be the best months the hotels have ever known. The source refers to the more wealthy class of visitors. I do think that the unsettled condition of the stock markets in the East has had a tendency to cancel many trips which were to have been made by people in more moderate circumstances, but we are to have a heavy business in our line.

BREVITIES.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 1.

Donations of cast-off clothing, bedding, etc., will be accepted by the Industrial Church, 629 Vignes, Tel. John 381 for wagon.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Cable Company for H. P. Noll, Westmore Hotel, Bernard C. Ferguson, Mrs. E. W. Monroe.

DEATH RECORD.

DAVID PETERSEN—Entered into rest at the Barlow Sanatorium, Los Angeles, Saturday, January 30, 1924, at 10:30 a.m. Burial will take place Tuesday, February 5, at 2 p.m. from the parlors of South & Rogers, 629 Vignes street. Interment in the cemetery.

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TO FIGHT CRIBS IN THE COURTS.

CRUSADE AGAINST SAN DIEGO REDLIGHT DISTRICT.

Appeal for Funds to Prosecute Suits Against Property Owners. Support of the Council Will be Asked—Steamer Disabled.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Fund for prosecuting suits against property owners of the redlight district," was the inscription on little white envelopes circulated at this afternoon's mass meeting under the auspices of the Purty League, which has undertaken the work of abolishing the cribs and otherwise purifying the moral atmosphere. It was the opening gun of the campaign. It was stated that the members of two of the best law firms have been retained in the prosecution of suits.

"The crib owners have money and will fight," exclaimed the chairman. "We will have money and we, too, will fight."

Tomorrow night the City Council will be asked to give the movement its support, as will different departments of the city government. Next Sunday afternoon the gospel wagon, starting in the redlight district, will make a tour of the lower sections of the city. C. W. French, chief promoter of the San Diego-Tempe Road-building enterprise, was the principal speaker at today's meeting.

He declared that himself and associates were heartily in favor of the movement, and could be depended upon to assist it in every possible way. He repeated his assertion of last Sunday from the same platform that immorality was not essential to a city's prosperity. He characterized the popular argument that for a city to grow it must be a liberal city as to vice, as utterly false and silly.

"There is nothing more fearsome as it does anarchy," said French, "than a city living in a state of anarchy, then what is it? The cleaner a city the faster it grows and the more permanent becomes its existence." He predicted a brilliant future for San Diego.

"This traffic in human souls should be stopped," exclaimed Mr. French dramatically. "We can do it if we will. Let us try."

Several other speakers preceded Mr. French, who was frequently interrupted by applause. An active canvass of the city for funds for the crusade is in progress.

WILL SUE COUNTY.

Justice Hewson of Enclinitas has returned to the Supervisors his rejected bill for services, which was turned down last month by advice of the District Attorney. Constable Peter Lux has done the same. This means a suit against the county for the recovery of the amount due the officers. The rejected claims are for fees for arresting and holding hobo, who are frequently arrested, but seldom convicted.

BANKRUPT TO CITIZENS.

Tomorrow evening C. W. French, chief promoter of the San Diego Eastern Railway Company, will give a dinner at Hotel Robinson to one hundred and fifty of the business and professional men of the city. V. A. Dehn, secretary of the local railroad companies, will be toastmaster. The responses to toasts will be by George W. Marston, D. C. Reed, Victor E. Shaw, Homer H. Peters, and Madeline Rev. W. B. Hinson, C. W. French. The latter's toast is "Greater San Diego."

GAY'S OFFER WITHDRAWN.

The offer of John H. Gay, through the Chamber of Commerce, to furnish oil for certain streets, provided the offer was accepted within certain dates, has been withdrawn. The City Council and Park Committee failed to agree on important details.

PUTS IN FOR REPAIRS.

The steamer Nebraska of the American-Hawaiian line, bound from San Francisco for New York, came into port yesterday afternoon to make minor but necessary repairs. It is expected the repairs in the steamer's engine-room will take two or three days. The circulating pump, it appears, worked badly from the time the vessel left San Francisco, and finally it had to be repaired before attempting the long voyage.

BITS OF NEWS.

The California Kings Gold Mine Company at Potosi, in the eastern part of this county, has issued \$200,000 in bonds and has given to the North American Trust Company a deed of trust of its property to secure the issue. The deed is signed on the part of the mining company by R. F. Peizer as vice-president and Charles H. Fay as secretary.

The City Lands Committee of the City Council has recommended that the lease of the bathhouse at La Jolla be given to Mr. Martin, incumbent.

The matter has been the subject of considerable controversy. Martin agrees to expend \$2000 in improvements.

The Corinthian Club has appealed to the Chamber of Commerce for aid in raising by public subscription funds for the building of a cup defender for the Lipton cup.

On account of the drought and rise in the price of hay, the milkmen have advanced the price for milk 20 percent.

San Diego won yesterday's ball game by heavy batting aided by Santa Barbara's errors. Santa Barbara's lone tally was a home run made by Harry in the eighth inning. Thomas pitched for the home team and Cooper for the visitors. Score: San Diego, 10; Santa Barbara, 1.

CORONADO BEACH.

OLD PIER A MEMORY.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.) HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Jan. 31.—A year ago the old pier, extending into the ocean, was wrecked by a heavy storm. Since then about 1200 feet of the frame work of the pier has been allowed to stand. Now it is being taken away, removing all traces of the old structure. The new pier is very popular with the bathers.

Friday's newcomers included: J. W. Kinkle and wife, Miss Alice C. Kinkle, Chicago; T. R. Stetler, San Francisco; S. W. Alister, and wife, Chicago; Mrs. Hugo R. Johnson, children and maids, Hamilton, Mass.; Mrs. Philip H. Stone, Mrs. James A. Harmon, Pasadena; F. R. Bingle, wife and daughter, A. J. Warner and wife, Ogden; W. H. Swan, B. C. Creelman, Colorado Springs; Mrs. and Mr. Kussboom, St. Louis; N. L. Gottschalk, Los Angeles; Charles Stonehill, Chicago; John D. Ross and wife, Miss Rose, Chicago.

Miss Grace Foster of Wisconsin, a guest at the hotel, gave a dinner Friday evening for Miss Ballache. Among Friday's arrivals were R. G. Cromble of Los Angeles, M. G.

Piece By Piece

And every piece by itself—that's the way we clean watches—no hot bath for the entire movement intact—and when a clean watch we return it accompanied by our guarantee for one year—it must be right!

Watches cleaned, 75c.
Main spring, 50c.
Case spring, 50c.
New hands, 15c.

Geneva Watch & Optical Co.
305 S. Broadway

VALENTINES AND STATIONERY

In valentines we have the conventional tender thoughts prettily expressed. It is quite essential you send a card of love on our two-toned linen. Happy the recipient who receives such a message.

Sanborn Vail & Co.
357 S. Broadway

If you'll take Carter's you can cure your cold. Carter's Cold Capsules cure all colds in a day. Price 25c.

HOSWELL & NOYES, Third and Broadway

SALE OF SWITCHES

\$1.50 to \$5.00

Worth \$2.50 to \$10

Seven hundred beautiful Hum an Hair Switches are placed on sale today at the above low prices. The lot includes all sizes and shapes of brown blonde and gray. Your choice of any in the lot from \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Weaver-Jackson Hair Co.
443 South Broadway

February Clearance Sale

is shaving prices, we are not "shaving" the care that characterizes the making of our garments.

We can't afford to. This sale is a sacrifice of our profits and if they are not satisfied with their first Brazer & Krohn garments how can we ever hold their trade? That's why our offer to "shave" prices.

—Any \$25.00, \$30.00 or \$35.00 suit for \$19.50.

—Any \$40.00, \$50.00 or \$55.00 suit for \$29.50.

—Any \$60.00 or \$65.00 suit for \$39.50.

—Any \$75.00 or \$80.00 suit for \$49.50.

—Any \$90.00 or \$95.00 suit for \$59.50.

—Any \$100.00 or \$105.00 suit for \$69.50.

—Any \$120.00 or \$125.00 suit for \$89.50.

—Any \$140.00 or \$145.00 suit for \$109.50.

—Any \$160.00 or \$165.00 suit for \$129.50.

—Any \$180.00 or \$185.00 suit for \$149.50.

—Any \$200.00 or \$205.00 suit for \$169.50.

—Any \$220.00 or \$225.00 suit for \$189.50.

—Any \$240.00 or \$245.00 suit for \$209.50.

—Any \$260.00 or \$265.00 suit for \$229.50.

—Any \$280.00 or \$285.00 suit for \$249.50.

—Any \$300.00 or \$305.00 suit for \$269.50.

—Any \$320.00 or \$325.00 suit for \$289.50.

—Any \$340.00 or \$345.00 suit for \$309.50.

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—Any \$420.00 or \$425.00 suit for \$389.50.

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—Any \$480.00 or \$485.00 suit for \$449.50.

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—Any \$740.00 or \$745.00 suit for \$709.50.

—Any \$760.00 or \$765.00 suit for \$729.50.

—Any \$780.00 or \$785.00 suit for \$749.50.

—Any \$800.00 or \$805.00 suit for \$769.50.

—Any \$820.00 or \$825.00 suit for \$789.50.

—Any \$840.00 or \$845.00 suit for \$809.50.

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—Any \$960.00 or \$965.00 suit for \$929.50.

—Any \$980.00 or \$985.00 suit for \$949.50.

—Any \$1000.00 or \$1005.00 suit for \$969.50.

—Any \$1020.00 or \$1025.00 suit for \$989.50.

—Any \$1040.00 or \$1045.00 suit for \$1009.50.

—Any \$1060.00 or \$1065.00 suit for \$1029.50.

—Any \$1080.00 or \$1085.00 suit for \$1049.50.

—Any \$1100.00 or \$1105.00 suit for \$1069.50.

—Any \$1120.00 or \$1125.00 suit for \$1089.50.

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—Any \$1160.00 or \$1165.00 suit for \$1129.50.

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—Any \$1900.00 or \$1905.00 suit for \$1869.50.

—Any \$1920.00 or \$1925.00 suit for \$1889.50.

—Any \$1940.00 or \$1945.00 suit for \$1909.50.

—Any \$1960.00 or \$1965.00 suit for \$1929.50.

—Any \$1980.00 or \$1985.00 suit for \$1949.50.

—Any \$2000.00 or \$2005.00 suit for \$1969.50.

—Any \$2020.00 or \$2025.00 suit for \$1989.50.

—Any \$2040.00 or \$2045.00 suit for \$2009.50.

—Any \$2060.00 or \$2065.00 suit for \$2029.50.

—Any \$2080.00 or \$2085.00 suit for \$2049.50.

—Any \$2100.00 or \$2105.00 suit for \$2069.50.

—Any \$2120.00 or \$2125.00 suit for \$2089.50.

—Any \$2140.00 or \$2145.00 suit for \$2109.50.

—Any \$2160.00 or \$2165.00 suit for \$2129.50.

—Any \$2180.00 or \$2185.00 suit for \$2149.50.

—Any \$2200.00 or \$2205.00 suit for \$2169.50.

—Any \$2220.00 or \$2225.00 suit for \$2189.50.

—Any \$2240.00 or \$2245.00 suit for \$2209.50.

—Any \$2260.00 or \$2265.00 suit for \$2229.50.

—Any \$2280.00 or \$2285.00 suit for \$2249.50.

—Any \$2300.00 or \$2305.00 suit for \$2269.50.

—Any \$2320.00 or \$2325.00 suit for \$2289.50.

—Any \$2340.00 or \$2345.00 suit for \$2309.50.

—Any \$2360.00 or \$2365.00 suit for \$2329.50.

—Any \$2380.00 or \$2385.00 suit for \$2349.50.

—Any \$2400.00 or \$2405.00 suit for \$2369.50.

—Any \$2420.00 or \$2425.00 suit for \$2389.50.

—Any \$2440.00 or \$2445.00 suit for \$2409.50.

—Any \$2460.00 or \$2465.00 suit for \$2429.50.

—Any \$2480.00 or \$2485.00 suit for \$2449.50.

—Any \$2500.00 or \$2505.00 suit for \$2469.50.

—Any \$2520.00 or \$2525.00 suit for \$2489.50.

—Any \$2540.00 or \$2545.00 suit for \$2509.50.

—Any \$2560.00 or \$2565.00 suit for \$2529.50.

—Any \$2580.00 or \$2585.00 suit for \$2549.50.

—Any \$2600.00 or \$2605.00 suit for \$2569.50.

—Any \$2620.00 or \$2625.00 suit for \$2589.50.

—Any \$2640.00 or \$2645.00 suit for \$2609.50.

—Any \$2660.00 or \$2665.00 suit for \$2629.50.

—Any \$2680.00 or \$2685.00 suit for \$2649.50.

—Any \$2700.00 or \$2705.00 suit for \$2669.50.

—Any \$2720.00 or \$2725.00 suit for \$2689.50.

—Any \$2740.00 or \$2745.00 suit for \$2709.50.

—Any \$2760.00 or \$2765.00 suit for \$2729.50.

—Any \$2780.00 or \$2785.00 suit for \$2749.50.

—Any \$2800.00 or \$2805.00 suit for \$2769.50.

—Any \$2820.00 or \$2825.00 suit for \$2789.50.

—Any \$2840.00 or \$2845.00 suit for \$2809.50.

—Any \$2860.00 or \$2865.00 suit for \$2829.50.

—Any \$2880.00 or \$2885.00 suit for \$2849.50.

—Any \$2900.00 or \$2905.00 suit for \$2869.50.

—Any \$2920.00 or \$2925.00 suit for \$2889.50.

—Any \$2940.00 or \$2945.00 suit for \$2909.50.

—Any \$2960.00 or \$2965.00 suit for \$2929.50.

—Any \$2980.00 or \$2985.00 suit for \$2949.50.

—Any \$3000.00 or \$3005.00 suit for \$2969.50.

—Any \$3020.00 or \$3025.00 suit for \$2989.50.

—Any \$3040.00 or \$3045.00 suit for \$3009.50.

—Any \$3060.00 or \$3065.00 suit for \$3029.50.

—Any \$3080.00 or \$3085.00 suit for \$3049.50.

—Any \$3100.00 or \$3105.00 suit for \$3069.50.

—Any \$3120.00 or \$3125.00 suit for \$3089.50.

—Any \$3140.00 or \$3145.00 suit for \$3109.50.

—Any \$3160.00 or \$3165.00 suit for \$3129.50.

—Any \$3180.00 or \$3185.00 suit for \$3149.50.

—Any \$3200.00 or \$3205.00 suit for \$3169.50.

—Any \$3220.00 or \$3225.00 suit for \$3189.50.

—Any \$3240.00 or \$3245.00 suit for \$3209.50.

—Any \$3260.00 or \$3265.00 suit for \$3229.50.

—Any \$3280.00 or \$3285.00 suit for \$3249.50.

—Any \$3300.00 or \$3305.00 suit for \$3269.50.

—Any \$3320.00 or \$3325.00 suit for \$3289.50.

—Any \$3340.00 or \$3345.00 suit for \$3309.50.

—Any \$3360.00 or \$3365.00 suit for \$3329.50.

—Any \$3380.00 or \$3385.00 suit for \$3349.50.

—Any \$3400.00 or \$3405.00 suit for \$3369.50.

—Any \$3420.00 or \$3425.00 suit for \$3389.50.

—Any \$3440.00 or \$3445.00 suit for \$3409.50.

—Any \$3460.00 or \$3465.00 suit for \$3429.50.

—Any \$3480.00 or \$3485.00 suit for \$3449.50.

—Any \$3500.00 or \$3505.00 suit for \$3469.50.

—Any \$3520.00 or \$3525.00 suit for \$3489.50.

—Any \$3540.00 or \$3545.00 suit for \$3509.50.

—Any \$3560.00 or \$3565.00 suit for \$3529.50.

—Any \$3580.00 or \$3585.00 suit for \$3549.50.

—Any \$3600.00 or \$3605.00 suit for \$3569.50.

—Any \$3620.00 or \$3625.00 suit for \$3589.50.

—Any \$3640.00 or \$3645.00 suit for \$3609.50.

—Any \$3660.00 or \$3665.00 suit for \$3629.50.

—Any \$3680.00 or \$3685.00 suit for \$